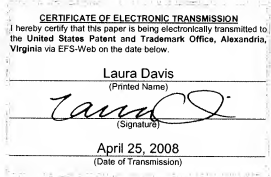


**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Heinz-Josef LENZ, et al.  
Title: GENOMIC POLYMORPHISM  
FOR PREDICTING  
THERAPEUTIC RESPONSE  
Appl. No.: 09/715,764  
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Art Unit: 1634  
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Number:



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a three-month extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make a response timely. This Petition is filed to maintain pendency of the subject application up to April 26, 2008, during which one or more continuing applications will be filed. A continuation of the above-referenced application (Atty. Dkt. No. 064189-0202) is being filed concurrently.

The extension fee for response within the third month for a small entity is \$525.00.

The above-identified fees of \$525.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed

herewith, as by the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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